

THE CHRONICLE.

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RATES OF ADVERTISING.

NO. SQUARE.	1 MO.	3 MO.	6 MO.	12 MO.
1 Square.	2 50	4 50	5 00	10 00
2 Squares.	3 50	5 50	6 00	12 00
3 Squares.	4 50	6 50	7 00	14 00
4 Squares.	5 50	7 50	8 00	16 00
5 Squares.	6 50	8 50	9 00	18 00
6 Squares.	7 50	9 50	10 00	20 00
7 Squares.	8 50	10 50	11 00	22 00
8 Squares.	9 50	11 50	12 00	24 00
9 Squares.	10 50	12 50	13 00	26 00
10 Squares.	11 50	13 50	14 00	28 00

Announcement of marriages and deaths free—tributes of respect and obituaries half price.

Railroad Guide.

On and after June 27, 1880, passenger trains will leave Clarksville as follows:

Going North—7:20 a. m. and 4:47 p. m.

Going South—5:20 a. m. and 7:25 p. m.

New Advertisements.

Carter, Beaumont & Co. have a very large and well-displayed advertisement in this issue.

The new house occupied by Mr. V. L. Williams is for rent for next year. Call on Mr. George Alwell for particulars.

Read the large advertisement of V. L. Williams. He has determined to move to Nashville, and now offers his stock of books, shoes, hats, notions, etc., at cost for cash. Now is the time to get bargains.

Block Bros. has a new advertisement in this issue. They are always up with the times, and you can do well by buying goods of them.

C. L. Cooke has a number of special ads in this issue. Go and see their splendid Christmas presents.

McCormac, our splendid artist, proposes to give a frame free of charge to all who have their pictures taken for the holidays. Now is the time to go and see Mac. Read his special in another column.

Mr. J. T. D. Wood offers a good little house and lot in South Clarksville for a cheap price. See advertisement in another column.

Owen & Moore will open their Christmas presents to-day. Read their special.

See advertisement of the Pathfinders. They appear at 12 o'clock on Open House next Thursday night. Our people who love a good show will not fail to attend.

Hon. John F. Howe and Senator J. E. Bailey are in their seats in congress at Washington.

Our young friend Buford Wisdom left on Tuesday last for Hinkley, Ark., where he has accepted a situation in a drug store. But was one of our best young men.

Mr. H. M. Johnston and lady spent a few days with his father's family in this city last week. They have gone on to Washington to-day.

Mr. W. F. Coulter has returned from New York where he has been purchasing his second stock of winter goods for the house of Coulter, Bro. & Stratton. Their new goods are now arriving.

Hon. Leon Tronstad, state superintendent, left for Nashville on Monday morning last. We learn that he was the recent inmate here was the best he has ever held in the state.

Mr. Montgomery H. Dineen of Brooklyn, New York, was married to Miss Anna W. Pettus of this county, at the former place on the 30th of November. We wish them much joy and happiness.

Our friend McCormac, the artist, who has been engaged at home from illness, is again at his gallery, and ready to make those fine pictures for all who may favor him with their patronage.

The Nashville Banner of the 7th says: "Judge Quarles is still quite feeble from his late illness. He was unable to go to Murfreesboro, Monday, to open the criminal court which began there on that day."

We are indebted to Messrs. Kennedy & Paxton for the Home Almanac for 1881. It is highly illustrated. The pictures will instruct the children and the reading will be instructive to the parents.

Hon. Alex. Bagwell from Bowling county, Ky., has the following:

"We call our readers' special attention to the card of Messrs. Kendrick, Pettus & Co., in this issue. They are five hardy men, and have been in the tobacco business for a number of years. We can well recommend this house to the planters, and they can rest assured that they will be honestly dealt with."

OUR grocery merchants have been doing a thriving business this week.

Eld. W. MORLEY will preach at Hazelwood on next Sunday, at the usual hour.

Big rain, heap of thunder and lightning last Saturday night. River booming.

The steamer Josh V. Throp passed up last Monday heavily loaded with freight.

The supreme court of the state met at Nashville last Monday, and took up the Davidson county docket.

ANYONE having a CHRONICLE bearing date of March 6, 1880, will confer a favor by letting us have it to complete our files.

The south-bound morning passenger train now arrives here at 8:20 instead of 7:50. Passengers will make a note of this change.

By examining the address at the head of your paper you can very readily see to what time you have paid. If in arrears please come forward and pay up.

The Citizens' Building and Loan Association will loan to its members on Monday next \$5,000. Proposals must be made in writing and handed to R. E. McCulloch, secretary.

McCOMB, HURST & CO., shipped on Monday last three hundred barrels of flour to the different stations on the railroad between here and Memphis. This looks like business.

We are glad to see that the young grocery firm of Anglen & Williams is doing a good business. They keep the very best of family groceries and are polite and accommodating young men. Give them a trial. Goods delivered free in any portion of the city.

The old reliable dry goods house of Rice, Broadus & Co., are still receiving new goods of the latest styles. They are a live and energetic firm; their clerks are always polite and attentive to their patrons. Go and see them.

REMEMBER the sale of R. B. Walthal, adm'r, which takes place at the late residence of T. B. Walthal, deceased, in the sixth district, on Wednesday next. All the personal property, corn, stock, farming implements, etc., will be sold.

Carter & Beaumont.

These young gentlemen are ladies' men and aim at keeping a first-class grocery, one at which the ladies will find themselves at home, and can reckon upon finding all the substantial and delicacies which are needed in a well supplied household. They have made special preparations for the festive season now approaching, and in the way of dried fruits, preserves, pickles, jellies, etc., and all sorts of condiments, are prepared to furnish materials for the most recherche cuisine that the human palate can desire. They have made a specialty of cheeses, and specially comment to the attention of connoisseurs their Neufchatel and New York double cream cheeses. The Neufchatel cheese is the choicest product of the rich dairies of Normandy, and the New York dairies need no commendation of ours. As for canned fruits, canned vegetables and canned meats, it can only be said that seasons are now disregarded, and the most enticing produce of spring and summer can now be enjoyed in the middle of winter. Ladies making their Christmas preparations will miss a good deal by not calling on Carter & Beaumont. Their new advertisement appears in to-day's paper.

Christmas Presents.

Our merchants are providing in most sumptuous style for the season of Christian good-fellowship among men. We note in the first rank OWEN & MOORE.

These gentlemen have made arrangements for transforming their book and music establishment into a perfect bower of beauty. It is to be fitted up with everything evergreens hung with gay lanterns and on counters extending along its whole length, covered with articles of luxury costly and tasteful beyond anything brought to this place before. There are books of all sorts, in every style of binding, Bibles, hymn-books, standard poets, and juvenile and toy books. Some of these are bound in recently invented styles, exceedingly beautiful, but the perfection of binding is that of the photograph albums; some of these, without taking their contents into consideration, are masterpieces of art. Russia leather and morocco elaborately carved and gilt are there, but are surpassed in their style of decoration by a new device in woven silk, which must be seen to be appreciated. Then there are gold pens and gold and silver pencil cases in inexhaustible variety. A table is covered with writing-desks and work-boxes in fancy patterns; another with stationery in endless variety. Paperettes in cases of velvet and satin embroidered as for a queen's coronation robes; articles for the toilet, such as brushes and combs in celluloid, the new substance for ivory and coral. The chin-quin ornaments in porcelain, bronze and glass are every one designed by an artist and executed as one would think, by fairy fingers.

But we might go on for columns and fail to enumerate half the beautiful objects we have seen there. Nothing but a personal visit can give the faintest conception of the treasures on exhibition.

C. L. COOKE.

We have twinges of conscience when we undertake to describe the splendors in this establishment.

We fancy we see gentlemen buttoning their pockets and hiding their pocket-books and looking with an angry scowl on our editorial work while we attract the attention of their wives and daughters to this irresistible array of splendid and beautiful objects. But never mind, ladies, we expect to be assassinated for it, but are ready to risk everything for your adorable sex.

In the jewelry department there are articles of silversware which only look too beautiful to use. An ice-cream set is quite a novelty, and there are ladles, spoons and forks, and we can't say what else—some silver, some silver gilt, all fit for a banquet in the Arabian Nights. Accompanying these is table cutlery such as we never saw before; ivory-handled carvers, at the sight of which the turkey will fall to pieces of his own accord in sheer admiration.

Of jewelry proper there is a display of diamonds, rubies and emeralds, pearls and opals and goldsmith work, in which the workmanship surpasses the material.

In the glassware department everything from the plainest white goods to sets in which every plate is a picture. Tea-sets, most artistic, in Mintum, Wedgwood and Bonyay, patterns wonderfully cheap, considering their beauty.

There are lamps and chandeliers of quite new patterns, a combination of vase and lamp being an elegant novelty.

Mantle and table ornaments, willow goods of all sorts, pocket cutlery, curious culinary utensils of pressed tin, glass-ware cut, pressed and engraved—well, it is no use talking; George Cooke and Dave Hendricks are behind the counters, and they can tell you more about them all in five minutes than we can in a day. Go and see them, but don't let paterfamilias know where you are going.

GAUCHAT is getting in his Christmas stock. We noticed a few weeks ago his splendid and tasteful jewelry; he has recently increased his stock of silversware and watches, which, when his new upright show-case is completed, will be disposed to an advantage. Go and examine them, young man, and take her with you to choose that engagement ring.

DURING the warm weather last week our factory buyers were busy examining the tobacco crop throughout the county. We hear of some few sales being made for the best quality, as high as five-and-half dollars per hundred, but these figures are only offered for the very best quality.

We learn that Mr. J. D. Nebbett of this county, and Mr. Will Wright of Todd county, Ky., have bought a one-half interest in the saw mill of Mr. W. B. Cross, near the Seven Mile Ferry. This is a good mill, and we trust the gentlemen will find that they have made a judicious investment.

Erin Scooped.

Our Erin friends seem to have been well cleaned-out on Monday night or Tuesday morning. A body of men, number unknown, made a raid on the village in force and took what they could find in three of the principal stores. A question has been raised whether they were professional or amateur burglars. To us there is no doubt on that head; they were bungling novices. Their first step was to levy on a blacksmith's shop, where they supplied themselves with tools for operations elsewhere. With these they broke open the stores in which nobly slept and demolished the locks and fastenings of the safes, cleaning them out of their contents. In one instance they had to use gun-powder to get the safe open.

The stores visited were those of Harris & Buquo, G. E. Raucher and Moore & Atkinson, the latter firm being owners of the safe which required gun-powder to open it.

The losses were: Harris & Buquo, \$375 in cash and \$300 in notes, etc.; Mr. Raucher, \$225, and Moore & Atkinson, \$300. They took time to separate the paper which they could not use, leaving the latter scattered round loose.

One man has been traced to Milan and arrested with \$68 on him. The evidence is that he and another man got on the train at Erin, jumped off about twenty miles south of that place, made their way to Paris, where they again boarded the train and traveled thence to Milan.

There were traces of blood on the books and papers taken from the safe of which powder had been used, as if one of the men had been wounded, and the man arrested has a wound on his nose, probably received at the explosion.

The whole thing looks unprofessional; a professional burglar would have carried his own tools with him, and not relied upon getting what he wanted at a blacksmith's shop. It is our impression that it will turn out to be the work of some enterprising youths whose minds were saturated with dime-novels, and who considered themselves as making their debut in the character of gentlemen burglars. They evidently knew the place well and its local features, and probably were not far from home. The robbery was bold enough, but not skillful.

A Good Citizen Going.

We regret much to learn that Mr. V. L. Williams finds it to his interest to transfer his business to Nashville, to which city he proposes to move with the New Year. We are gratified to learn that he hopes to improve his fortune by the change, but he is a good citizen. Those who desire to purchase boots, hats, shoes and caps cheap, will now have a good chance as he is selling off his stock strictly at cost. Volney Williams has been a prosperous man here; do you know why, young man? He has been the most liberal advertiser of his days in town.

REV. J. D. BARBER gave a lecture at the Methodist church last Thursday evening, the proceeds of which were to be devoted to the relief of the poor. The attendance was fair but not so full as it ought to have been considering the object. The lecture was on the accumulation of money which he contended was not in itself an evil, but rather the contrary, provided the money was used wisely and well when obtained. He was listened to with marked interest throughout.

BLOCK BROS. are among the merchants of this city who beginning on a small scale and prospering by means of good judgment, industry and economy, have promoted at once their own prosperity and that of the town they live in. They are now prepared to fill orders from the smallest retail transaction to the largest needs of the country merchant. See their manifesto in our advertising columns.

THE report which has gained circulation that our friend J. G. Joseph intends leaving our city, is incorrect. He has established a branch house in Granada, Miss., but has no idea of leaving himself.

Mrs. HERNDON, wife of Mr. Tom Herndon, died of consumption on Thursday, the 9th inst. She leaves an estimable husband and a family of children to deplore her loss. They will receive general sympathy from our people.

OBITUARY.

SARAH B. HERNDON.

SARAH B. HERNDON, daughter of Rev. William Davidson, deceased, was born Feb. 1, 1812. She was married to Mr. Henry F. Beaumont. In the eleventh year of her age, she professed religion and joined the Methodist Church, South, in which she lived and died an ardent member. January 11, 1880, she was united in marriage to Capt. Thos. Herndon. At 35 minutes past 4 o'clock, Dec. 8, 1880, she died, of consumption, at her late residence in this city. She was the mother of six children, two of whom preceded her to the heavenly world.

Our market is a small one owing to the cold weather. Sales for the week 20 hbls. more than the week ending Dec. 4, 1880.

The seasonal market remains very quiet, and the foreign markets dull.

Common Lard 2 00 to 2 25

Good Lard 4 00 to 4 25

Medium Lard 3 50 to 3 75

Choice Lard 5 00 to 5 25

Time Lard 6 00 to 6 25

Selections 7 00 to 7 25

See a handsome stock of Christmas goods as they have at Owen & Moore's.

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New Style JEWELRY, WATCHES and CHAINS!

SILVER-WARE AND CLOCKS!

160 Pieces American DINNER SETS.

Price, \$20.

New Line of BASKETS, All Kinds.

Another Lot of Pebbles, the Best Thing for the Eye ever Made. Call and See Them, at

COOKE'S.

Of nice new things for gentlemen, just received by Pittman & Lewis. A good place to buy clothing and a Christmas gift for yourself and friend. Valuable, comfortable and cheap. dec. 11-12

Two New American Sewing Machines for sale very cheap, at Cooke's. Will make handsome and useful Christmas presents for somebody. dec. 11-12

Grand opening of holiday goods on Saturday morning, December 11th, at Owen & Moore's. Everybody invited. dec. 11-12

All sorts of China Toys, as well as dolls in great variety, at Cooke's. dec. 11-12

Milton, Shakespeare, Scott, Byron, Burns, Moore, Hood, Campbell, Tennyson, Wordsworth, or any of the English poets, handsomely bound for holiday gifts, at Owen & Moore's. dec. 11-12

Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, Toilet Sets, Bureau Sets, Cologne Sets, at Cooke's. dec. 11-12

Chatter-box, Nursery, Wide-awake, Tag-Tag Journeys, Pictures to Paint, and a host of other good books. dec. 11-12

Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons, Cutlery, Pitchers and Cups. Fancy silver in great variety at Cooke's, suitable for Christmas presents. Also, Card Cases, Match Boxes, Fruit Knives, Napkin Rings and Ladles. dec. 11-12

How to Read. Get one of those with full page illustrations that they have at Owen & Moore's. You can find something that will make an elegant Christmas present. dec. 11-12

Holiday Gifts at McCormac's. McCormac is giving a handsome frame to all of his patrons who sit for pictures during the holidays, and no extra charge for his work. Go up and see him. dec. 11-12

The Old Reliable! Chatterbox, Robinson Crusoe, Arabian Nights, Tom Brown, Baron Munchausen, Pilgrims Progress, and a host of new good books too numerous to mention. Come and see at Owen & Moore's. dec. 11-12

Watches, large and small; Chains to suit all purses, guaranteed as low in price and as perfect in workmanship as can be found east. Inspect them at Cooke's. You can find something that will make an elegant Christmas present. dec. 11-12

Any Lady or Gent Can write much better with one of Hollands Gold Pens than they can with a steel pen. We have every style, large ebony and rubber for the gentlemen, and perfect little houses in pearl for the ladies. Every one warranted. dec. 11-12

The peculiarity of the A. S. T. Co. Black Tip is, that it is independent of the upper, and simply protects it from wear, without endangering the upper from rapping, as in the case, with toe caps sewed on to the upper. dec. 11-12

Don't Forget That our handsome stock of satin-lined wicker work-baskets are the prettiest things in Clarksville for Christmas gifts. dec. 11-12

Remarkable Success. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy for the treatment of Kidney disease as the accidental discovery of the vegetable contained in Day's Kidney Pad. Its reliable character, desirable qualities and masterly curative power have deeply won upon the confidence of the medical profession and countless sufferers who have used it. dec. 11-12

All Boys Love Good books. We have them. Thrilling Adventure, Crusades, Sea Notes and School Boy Life. Just the things for boys. dec. 11-12

Did You Ever? See a handsome stock of Christmas